

## THOS. ROBINSON

One of Earlington's Oldest Citizens Passes Away.

BURIED WITH HONORS BY A. O. U. W.

Mr. Thomas Robinson, one of Earlington's oldest and most respected citizens, died Friday, October 13th at 2:40 o'clock in the afternoon, aged 72 years, after a continued illness of three months. His seven children, the unbroken rank of his descendants, survive. Mrs. Robinson's death, which occurred Dec. 17th, 1904, at the age of 67 years, was the first break in the family.

Thomas Robinson was born in the Isle of Mann in July 1833, and came to this country in his young manhood. He married Miss Elizabeth A. Chegwidden in the State of Wisconsin in the year 1858. Mr. Robinson came to Earlington as a coal miner in 1870 and was for years a trusted employe in the mines of the St. Bernard Coal Co., at Earlington and St. Charles. His last connection with a coal mining operation was as mine superintendent for the Empire Coal Mining Co., of Christian county, where he was engaged for about ten years. He had retired from active work several years before his death. During nearly all his time since 1870 he had kept his family residence and maintained his citizenship in Earlington.

The funeral occurred Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Geo. W. Abbott, of Hopkinsville, conducted services at the family residence, the deceased having connected himself with the Episcopal Church in his young manhood. Hopkins Lodge No. 61, A. O. U. W., of Earlington, then took charge of the remains, which were buried with honors of the order at Earlington cemetery. The pall bearers were Frank Fox, Thos. Hodge, Wm. Vinson, Joseph W. Brown, Lem Owens, and Willis Brooks. Thos. Langstaff officiated as Grand Marshal.

Mr. Robinson was one of the original charter members of this order in Earlington and it is said that Thos. Clements is now the only survivor of all those whose names appeared on the original charter. Later, a second charter was secured by the Earlington lodge and now but few of these second charter members remain.

All of Mr. Robinson's children were present at the time of his death. They are Ben T. Robinson, of Mortons Gap, druggist and ex-member of the legislature; Mrs. Geo. King, of St. Charles; Chas. G. Robinson, postmaster of Earlington; Miss Eliza Robinson, Earlington; J. Will Robinson, Republican nominee for County Court Clerk, Earlington; Mrs. H. L. Bramwell, Providence; Geo. E. Robinson, Earlington; Mr. Benj. Robinson, of Falcon, Colo., the only surviving brother of the deceased, was detained by illness of his wife and could not attend the funeral.

Charles W. Rock.

Monday morning at his home in Madisonville Charles W. Rock, an old and respected citizen, died after several weeks illness caused by a fall the first of August. Mr. Rock was a German and has resided in Madisonville twenty-five years and was a tobacco maker by trade.

The funeral services were held at the Catholic church at this place Monday morning at 10 o'clock and the interment was at the Earlington cemetery.

## FOUND DEAD.

Lifeless Body of Frank Vester Discovered near Hecla Tuesday Morning.

Frank Vester, a colored man of this place, aged about 28 years, was found dead near Hecla Tuesday morning. The body was discovered lying in a ditch by the side of the main track and he had evidently been dead several hours.

He had been in Madisonville Monday afternoon and had been drinking rather freely it is said. A companion, who was with him, came home on one of the evening trains and tried to induce him to come also but after purchasing a ticket he changed his mind and started home later walking on the railroad. It is thought that he fell asleep on the track and was struck by a train and knocked into the ditch where he was strangled by water that the ditch contained. Several injuries were found on the body but none of them would have produced instant death.

Coroner J. M. Stevens, of Madisonville, was notified and an inquest was held. A jury composed of Lee O'Brien, foreman; Thos. Carroll, Jas. Parker, Jno. Jones, L. B. Kirkwood and Andy Wilson returned a verdict stating "that the deceased came to his death from some unknown cause supposed to be from strangulation by falling into a ditch after being struck by a train."

## QUADRENNIAL GENERAL CONFERENCE

Of Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Will Meet in Birmingham Next May.

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 15.—It has been decided that the quadrennial general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, shall meet in Birmingham next May. This was determined at a meeting held here of the subcommittee having the matter in charge following a meeting of the general committee in Asheville, N. C., on Tuesday last.

This conference is the most important of all Southern Methodist meetings, as it is the general legislative body of the church and elects bishops to fill such vacancies as may exist.

The meeting in Birmingham, it is expected, will be attended by upwards of 2,000 ministers and laymen and will be in session several weeks. The sessions will be held in the First Methodist church, which is the largest and handsomest Methodist house of worship in the South.

## KENTUCKY CONFEDERATE REUNION.

Reduced Rates Announced by Railroads for Meeting at Pewee Valley.

The railroads over the State have made a rate of one fare plus twenty-five cents to Pewee Valley, near Louisville, and return on account of the Confederate reunion, which will take place at that place October 26. The indications are that a large crowd of veterans will attend the reunion. It will be an opportunity for those who wore the gray to spend a pleasant time together at a small cost.

## U. C. V. Reunion.

The Kentucky Division, United Confederate Veterans, will hold their annual reunion at the Confederate Home at Pewee Valley, October 26. The delegation is arranged on the basis of one delegate and one alternate for every twenty members of each camp.

## Kentucky's Sloth in General Development.—Hopkins County's Advance Position in Coal Mining Development.

"Kentucky is surrounded on three sides by navigable waters, has great tracts of the finest forest lands, millions of acres of the most fertile lands in America, etc., but has lagged behind her sister states in material development. You have seen newer states surpass Kentucky in every development. But there is not a state west of Kentucky which has Kentucky's wealth of resources. Kentucky has not studied their resources."

"Kentucky seems to have been left here in the centre of the Continent awaiting a later and a better development."—M. A. Hayes, Industrial Department, Southern Railway, Chicago, at the State Development Convention.

"Some coal was mined in the Western counties of Kentucky as early as 1840. It was not until 1870, however, after the close of the Civil war, that the active development in the coal mines of Kentucky really began. Since 1870 the development has kept pace with other industrial enterprises in the Southern States."—Edward A. Parker, in U. S. Geological Survey Report.

Hopkins county, in the development of coal mining since 1870 has far and away outstripped the development of "other industrial enterprises in the Southern States," if Mr. Parker's statement be true, for Hopkins county has, "since 1870," been far in the lead of all Kentucky in the development of coal mining, and has now for some years been producing one-fourth of the total coal output of the State of Kentucky.

## LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS

Trains will begin running through the tunnel at Ridge Top, Tenn., on next Tuesday, Oct. 24th. The tunnel has been practically completed for several weeks but a great deal of work remained to be done on the approaches. The cost of the tunnel is estimated at about \$2,000,000 and it dispenses with the worst grade on this division and is also said with one of the worst on the entire system of the L. & N. It is the largest tunnel on the Louisville & Nashville R. R.

James Scott, an Illinois Central switchman of Paducah, aged 47 years, was the victim of a peculiar accident at Fulton one day last week and which resulted in instant death. He was on the rear of an engine working in the yard there and as it was backing up the air hose became caught in a frog pulling the step off on which he was standing. He was thrown under the engine and badly mangled.

Engineer Frank Giannini and Conductor D. E. Lynn, of the Providence accommodation made a trip to this place Sunday with coal shipments and took back captives for the mines at that place.

Conductor D. E. Lynn was on Conductor Harry Braunwell's train last week while he was absent.

Conductor Harry Braunwell, of Providence, was here last week attending the funeral of his father-in-law, Mr. Thos. Robinson.

Operator Sanders, of Howell, Ind., visited friends here Friday and Saturday.

Mr. J. H. Gallagher has been appointed Traveling Passenger Agent of the Louisville, Henderson & St. Louis Railway, vice Geo. L. Garrett, resigned to enter other business. Mr. Gallagher has been chief clerk in the office of the General Passenger Agent, at Louisville for the past four years. Mr. Gallagher has had excellent training to equip him for the careful performance of the duties of the new position and The Bee will vouch for him that the traveling public who want to go his way can safely rely upon him for proper information and guidance.

Work has so far advanced in rebuilding the station of the

Louisville and Nashville railroad at Tenth street and Broadway, Louisville, that the officials of the road have announced that it will be opened November 10, less than three months since it was practically destroyed by fire. The work will be completed by November 1, but several days will be needed to finally establish the offices in the reconstructed building. The work has progressed as rapidly as was expected, and the station has practically been rebuilt without serious interference with the accommodation of passengers.

The latest report from Mr. McGrath, the engineer who was injured at Goodletts on the 1st., when he ran into open switch, is that he is recovering rapidly. He is now up and will be removed from the hospital to his home in Nashville. Fireman Stanfield is also getting along nicely.

J. D. Campbell has been promoted to running an engine. He is doing his first work as an engineer with the Walton, Wilson, Rodes & Co., contractors at Greenbrier, relieving L. L. Patterson, who has been transferred to the road.

Emil Spiehs, a popular young engineer between Earlington and Nashville, who was married recently, has recently returned from his honeymoon trip.

Engineer J. W. Alsop is on the sick list.

Engineers F. S. Harrison and J. P. Moynihan, of Nashville, who have been in a bad condition for some time, are not much better.

Engineer Wellington Newton, of McLeansboro, was in Howell Monday on business.

William Diller, night caller at Howell, has returned, after a two weeks' vacation at St. Louis and Belleville.

Dennis E. Kelly, the traveling engineer, is on the Division this week.

## Robert A. Arnold Killed in Nevada.

Robert A. Arnold was shot and instantly killed in a street duel by a Frenchman named A. A. J. Jodon, Saturday at Bullfrog, Nevada.

Mr. Arnold was formerly a citizen of Hopkins county and in Earlington's early days was for several years marshal of the town. He leaves a wife and son.

## CROP REPORT.

Corn Yield Five Per Cent Heavier Than Last Year in Kentucky.

Frankfort, Oct. 13.—Commissioner of Agriculture Vreeland has issued the following report:

We feel that an apology is due the public for the lateness of our October report. Press of business in the office and the unavoidable absence of the Assistant Commissioner is the reason that it did not appear on the 6th of the month, as usual.

The month of September was generally favorable for the housing of tobacco and preparing land for wheat sowing. Complaint of too much rain in some localities, but little damage was done by excessive moisture. The corn crop promises to be a bumper crop. Prospect is 5 per cent larger than last year. The prospect is good for an average acreage of wheat being sown. There seems to be a falling off in the acreage of both winter oats and rye. The estimate for burley tobacco is 4 per cent greater than last year, while the estimate on the dark crop is 19 per cent less. The crop of both was practically all in the house and safe from frost October 1.

Meadows are up to the standard. Clover in a large part of the State is reported good, but in some localities it is seriously damaged by some disease—for the want of a better name it is called clover blight. Pastures have held up remarkably well. There is a considerable falling off in the number of cattle and hogs being fed for the fall markets. There will be an abundance of winter feed for all kinds of stock unless the winter is unusually severe and long.

## OFFICERS ELECTED.

Dark Tobacco Growers Association Elects County Officers at Madisonville Saturday.

A meeting was held by the committee of the Dark Tobacco Growers' Association of Hopkins county at the court house in Madisonville Saturday. The selection of officers was ratified at this meeting and a decision was reached to hold the next county meeting on Saturday, Oct. 28th, at the court house. Full instructions will be given at the meeting then in regard to handling of the tobacco pledged to the association. A vote will also be taken as to what time the books shall be closed.

The officers of the association are:

President, N. D. Nelson; Vice-President, Bradley Wilson; Secretary, J. M. Harnd. The committeemen from the various districts of the county are as follows: White Plains, Abe Allen; Earlington, Roland Merrill; Court House, Finnis Williams, Nebo, W. J. Troop; Hanson, Charles H. Eastwood; Charleston, B. F. Ligon; Kitchen, A. Utley.

## MADISONVILLE

Physician Dies in Louisville. From Operation for Appendicitis.

Dr. L. O. Wood, aged thirty-five, one of the best-known physicians of Madisonville, Ky., and President of the State Eclectic Society, died at the Deaconess Hospital in Louisville, Sunday morning following an operation for appendicitis. He was brought to the hospital last Thursday. Dr. Wood was survived by his wife, who was at the bedside at the time of his death.

The body was taken to Princeton for burial.

## CHARLES C. MOORE.

Famous Editor and Infidel in Series Condition.

Charles C. Moore, editor of the Blue Grass Blade, who advertises himself to the world as "The Heuthean Editor," is said to be in a serious condition and that his friends, as well as the members of his family, are alarmed over his health. He is suffering from a joint attack of heart trouble and asthma.

The reports received from the sick man say that he has been unable to lie down for more than 10 days, and is compelled to take what sleep he can get sitting upright in a chair. He has been suffering from this attack for 30 days, but will not give up or admit that he is in such a serious condition. Dr. Coffman, of Georgetown, is attending him and the reports state that he is a very sick man, although the past few days have brought some slight improvement.

Mr. Moore had made himself a national character because of his peculiar ideas concerning religion and prohibition. His paper, the Blue Grass Blade, is an infidel weekly, and circulates among those who believe in prohibition as a political issue as well as those who oppose the tenets of the Christian faith.—Lexington Leader.

## JAMES HOWARD CASE.

Motion to Advanced Hearing Denied.—Will be Taken up in Regular Order.

Washington, Oct. 16.—The motion to advance the hearing in the case of the state of Kentucky vs. James Howard, convicted of complicity in the murder of Gov. Goebel, made in the United States Supreme Court last Tuesday, was today denied by the court. The case already has an advanced place on the docket, and will possibly be heard in December in the regular order.

## Edwin McGary Injured.

Saturday afternoon Edwin McGary, the six-year-old son, of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McGary, fell from an upstairs window at their house two and a half stories high to the ground, breaking his leg near the hip. He was standing by the window and when called by his sister turned to go pushing against the screen, which gave away and went out with him, some of the breaking the fall, which no doubt saved the little fellow's life. Edwin is bearing his suffering bravely and getting along nicely.

## Laundry Burned.

Central City, Ky., Oct. 16.—The Central City Laundry was destroyed by fire. The fire originated in sawdust that was used as packing the wall. The heat of the stove had charred the sawdust, so that it finally flamed, and the structure being frame, it was soon enveloped in the flames. No insurance was carried, either by the proprietors or those who sent their clothing to the laundry, and, this being the day on which the delivery was to be made, almost every citizen in the town lost something.

## Tobacco Growers' Meeting.

Owensboro, Ky., Oct. 16.—The annual meeting of the National Tobacco Growers' Association was called to order in Owensboro at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning, and will be in session three days. It will probably be one of the greatest meetings of tobacco growers ever held in the United States, and delegates will be in attendance from nearly every tobacco-growing State in the Union.





# Ashby & Baker's

## Great Loom End and Bargain Sale.

COMMENCES SATURDAY, OCT. 28, AND CONTINUES TWO WEEKS, CLOSING POSITIVELY SATURDAY, NOV. 11.

Extra Dress Goods, Laces, Hosiery, Underwear, Shoes, Hats, Shirts and Clothing Values.

Our former sales have established beyond any doubt the fact that hundreds of families fully appreciate the money saving advantages of these Great Semi-Annual Sales. Confidence in our goods, in our advertising and in our business methods have attracted crowds to our store that have taxed our capacity to the utmost, and all have gone away satisfied with the bargains we have offered. Such confidence has spurred us to our utmost. For months we have bent every energy toward making this the Greatest Sale of All. Early purchases, made before the advanced prices, fortunate opportunities of securing much scarce but-desirable merchandise, remarkable price concessions from manufacturers on account of immense quantities of merchandise represented in these sales, all unite to make this the Climax of Our Selling Career. Such quantities of goods, such intrinsic values, such low prices seem almost unbelievable. No one can afford to miss this opportunity of securing such desirable merchandise at half its true worth or less. So be sure to come early and get your share of the bargains during this sale. Read every one of the following prices. Don't overlook a single item.

### All Loom End Calicoes, 1 yard lengths and under, at rate of 1 cent per yard.

Special attractions in our Staple Goods Department, for in no other department of our store is it possible to secure such truly remarkable and attractive values as the Cotton Domestics. With cotton "skylarking" these prices will seem especially low, but the goods were purchased before the advances and we give you the advantage of our foresight. Read, compare, then be on hand to get your share.

5,000 yds Simpson's silk novelties, black and white, silver gray prints, cost at mill today 5c, loom end price 3c	<b>Special Sale on Dress Goods.</b> The remarkable price reductions on good staple fabrics will make the selling during this sale the greatest in our history.	sale price 12c Boys' heavy ribbed bicycle hose, worth 20c, sale price 12c	Mourning pins, 1c box	Counterpanes, fringed, regular price \$1.50, sale price .98c	Men's Beaver Overcoats, regular price 6.50, sale price .378
1,000 yds American blue, light gray, red and pink prints, cost 5c at mill today, loom end price 3c	50 in skirts, worth 75c, sale price 48c	Cotton batting, worth 7 1/2c roll, sale price 5c	Wire hairpins, 3c box	Counterpanes, fringed, regular price \$2, sale price \$1.48	Men's Beaver Overcoats, regular price 7.50, sale price .498
1,000 yds percales, regular price 10c, loom end price 5c	50 in suitings, worth 90c, sale price 68c	Cotton batting, worth 12 1/2c roll, sale price 8c	San silk, 3c spool	Satin finished counterpanes, regular price \$3, sale price \$1.98	Men's Overcoats, Scotch mixtures with belt, regular price 8.50, sale price .598
1,000 yds plain and figured dress black, regular price 10c, loom end price 5c	50 in suitings, worth \$1, sale price 79c	Gray canton flannel, worth 10c, sale price 5c	Children's Hkfr, 1c each		Men's extra quality overcoats in fancy Scotch mixtures with belt, regular price 10.00, sale price .698
1,000 yds Simpson's fancy fleeced back waives, regular price 12 1/2c, loom end price 6c	Finest broadcloth, worth \$1.50, sale price 89c		1000 yds. Torchon lace worth 5c, sale price 2c	<b>Men's and Boys' Clothing a Special Feature in this Great Sale</b>	Men's fine overcoats, regular price 12.50, sale price .948
500 yds plain black poplin de soie, regular price 25c, loom end price 15c	You will have to see this cloth to appreciate the price.	<b>Extra Special Shoe Bargains.</b>	Men's extra heavy fleeced underwear, a bargain today at 50c, sale price 38c or 75c a suit	Men's suits, regular price \$5, sale price \$3.48	Men's finest fancy Scotch mixture overcoat, regular price 15.00, sale price 10.60
1,000 yds gingham for waists and dresses, regular price 10c, loom end price 5c	40 in all wool satting, worth 50c, sale price 38c	Ladies' fine shoes, custom made, regular price \$1.50, sale price while they last .98c	Ladies' fleeced lined hose from 10c pr up	Men's \$7.50 wool suits for \$4.98	Children's overcoats 4 to 8 yrs, regular price 2.00, sale price 1.38
200 ducking fleece flounce, regular price 25c, loom end price 10c	Fine black dress goods, 44 in, regular price \$1.25, sale price .89c	Ladies' fine custom made shoes, regular price \$1.75, sale price .1.38	Men's fine negligee shirt, real value 50c, sale price 29c	Men's fine wool suits in Scotch mixtures, single or double breasted, regular price \$12.50, sale price \$8.98	Children's overcoats 4 to 8 yrs, regular price 2.25, sale price 1.48
1,000 yds Simpson's 36 in goebeline Silkoline, regular price 12 1/2c, loom end price 6c	Mercedized oxford waisting, worth 50c, sale price .29c	Ladies' fine custom made shoes, in bals or Blucher, regular price \$2, sale price \$1.48	Men's fine negligee shirts, real value 75c, sale price 47c	Men's fine imported granite or fancy worsted suits, regular price \$15, sale price \$9.88	Young men's overcoats, 14 to 18 yrs, 7.50, sale price .398
1,000 yds apron check gingham, regular price 5c, sale price 4c	All wool tricot, worth 35c, sale price 23c	Ladies' heavy shoes, in plain or cap toe, cheap at \$1.25, sale price 98c	Suit cases worth \$1.50 sale price .98c	1 lot of men's odd suits, one and two of a kind, to close at 50c on the dollar.	If you see our children and young men's overcoats then you will appreciate the prices. They are worth almost double the money we ask for them.
Brown domestic, 1 yd wide, cost at mill today 5c, sale price 4c	Mercedized oxford waisting, worth 50c, sale price .19c	Children's fine bow calf shoes, worth \$1.50, sale price .98c	Genuine leather suit cases worth \$5.50 sale price \$3.48	Child's jersey knee pant suits, 4-8, worth \$1.50, sale price .98c	Ladies' jackets, regular price 2.00, sale price 1.48
20 yds limit to customer	60 in mercerized bleached damask, worth 50c, sale price .23c	Misses' fine kid shoes, cheap at \$1.25, sale price .98c	Embroideries worth 6c, sale price 4c	Child's 2-piece knee pant suits, regular price \$2.75, sale price \$1.98	Ladies' jackets, regular price 2.48, sale price 1.88
Good bleached domestic, soft finish, cost 5c at mill today, sale price 4c	60 in pure linen satin damask, worth 75c, sale price .47c	Men's brogan shoes, worth \$1.25, sale price .98c	Embroideries worth 6 1/2c, sale price 5c	Child's 3-piece knee pant suits, regular price \$3.50, sale price \$2.48	Ladies' jackets, regular price 4.50, sale price 3.48
20 yds limit to customer	72 in imported satin damask, worth \$1, sale price .79c	Men's fine satin calf shoes, worth \$1.50, sale price \$1.19	Embroideries worth 15c, sale price 10c	Boys' lined jeans pants, cheap at \$1.25, sale price .98c	Ladies' jackets, regular price 7.50, sale price 4.98
Our star bleached domestic, yd wide, similar quality to hope, cost at mill today 6c, sale price 5c	100 ladies' wool dress skirts at 25 percent off regular prices.	Men's fine shoes, vict or box calf, blucher style, worth \$2.50, sale price \$1.98	Lace curtains 3 yds. long, regular price \$1.60, sale price .79c	Young men's \$5 suits for \$3.48	Special reductions all through the entire line
20 yds limit to customer	Ladies' black mercerized drop skirts, regular price 75c, sale price .48c	Cotton blankets, worth 75c, sale price \$1.50	Lace curtains 3 1/2 yds. long, regular price \$1.80, sale price .79c	Young men's \$7.50 suits for 4.98	Children's jackets from .75c up
Lansdale domestic, finest made, never sold for less than 10c, cost 8 1/2c at mill today, sale price .74c	Ladies' black mercerized drop skirts, regular price \$1, sale price .69c	Cotton blanket, worth \$1.00, sale price .79c	Lace curtains 3 1/2 yds. long, regular price \$2.30, sale price \$1.78	Young men's \$10 suits, Scotch mixtures, for \$6.98	Misses long wraps from \$1.38 up
20 yds limit to customer	Ladies' black mercerized drop skirts, regular price \$1.25, sale price .89c	Cotton blanket, 11x4, worth \$1.50, sale price .98c	Lace curtains 4 yds. long, regular price \$2.50, sale price \$1.98	Young men's \$11.50 suits, Scotch mixtures, double breasted, for \$7.48	Ladies' fur collarettes from .50c up
Amoskeag feather ticking, regular price 18c, sale price 11 1/2c	Ladies' black mercerized drop skirts, regular price \$1.50, sale price .98c	Our Franklin wool blanket, the best made, worth \$6.00, sale price \$3.98	Counterpanes, regular price 75c, sale price 50c	Men's lined jeans pants, cheap at \$1.25, sale price .98c	A special discount of 25 percent, on any fur collarette in our stock.
Fancy outing flannels, worth 6c, sale price .44c	Ladies' black mercerized drop skirts, regular price \$2, sale price \$1.48	Our \$7.50 finest blanket for \$5.48	Counterpanes, regular price \$1, sale price .79c	Men's corduroy pants, regular price \$1.50, sale price .98c	Amoskeag rugs, regular price 2.00, sale price 1.15
Mottled outing flannels, worth 10c, sale price .74c	Men's hose, worth 10c, sale price 7 1/2c	Pure wool blanket, in white, worth \$4.00, sale price \$3.38	Counterpanes, regular price \$1.50, sale price .98c	Men's fancy corduroy pants, regular price \$2, sale price \$1.48	Smyrna rugs, regular price 1.50, sale price .98c
Amoskeag fancy teaselows outings, worth 12 1/2c, sale price .84c	Men's wool mixed hose, worth 15c, sale price 10c	Adamantine pins, 1c paper	Men's fancy corduroy pants, regular price 2.50, sale price \$1.78	Men's fancy corduroy pants, regular price 2.50, sale price \$1.78	Ingraig rugs, regular price 25c, sale price .15c
1 lot of percales in the bolt, regular price 10c, sale price .64c	All our men's 25c hose, sale price 19c				

This sale covers everything. Hundreds of articles not mentioned in this ad will be on sale. Come the first day of this sale. Come every day. Come prepared to buy. You surely will not be disappointed if you come. Look for the red tags. They will direct you to bargains and denote a saving of 50 percent. Don't delay, don't wait, don't miss it. In order to prepare for this great sale our store will be closed Friday, Oct. 27, until Saturday morning. We double the purchasing power of a dollar during this Great Loom End Sale. All Loom End goods and all goods sold at Loom End prices POSITIVELY CASH.

Sale begins Saturday, October 23, and closes Saturday, November 11.

Remember the Date, Saturday, October 28.

# ASHBY & BAKER,

Madisonville,

Kentucky.











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## A MERRY MUSICAL COMEDY.

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## TEMPLE THEATRE

### SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21

For the Benefit of the Tribe of Ben-Hur.  
Come and help a good cause along.

Prices = = 50c and 25c



#### PERSONALS

Robt. Stienbaugh, of this place, was in Madisonville Saturday on business.

Mrs. Wm. Brancham and little son, of Durham, N. C., who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Umstead, of this city, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ashby, of this city, spent Sunday with relatives in Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Salmon, of Illinois, were in the city Tuesday.

W. E. Curry and family, of Yarbrough, Webster county, were here last week visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Strother Hancock were in Madisonville Sunday visiting relatives.

Mrs. Harry Curry was in Madisonville shopping Monday.

Miss Anna Rice spent Sunday in Madisonville.

Miss Dona Wood was shopping in Madisonville Monday.

Mrs. C. M. McGary returned Sunday night from a visit to relatives in Henderson.

Messrs. Jno. Barnett, Buck Shaver and Tom Stone were in the county seat Monday.

Mr. Finley, of Atontley, Tenn., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Atkinson this week.

Mr. W. Demott, circulation manager of the Courier-Journal, was in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. S. A. Stevens, of this city, was in Madisonville one day this week shopping.

Buck Shaver was in Madisonville on business Wednesday.

Conductor Corbett, of Nashville has been attending court in Madisonville this week.

Mr. G. F. Blair left Saturday for a two weeks' visit to his mother and relatives in Charleston, West Virginia.

Mr. J. L. Lutz and family, of Stanhope, visited his sister, Mrs. G. T. McEuen, last week.

Rev. Geo. Abbott was here Tuesday night with Bishop Woodcock. Mr. Joe Bishop, manager for the St. Bernard Mining Co., of Paducah, visited Mr. and Mrs. Jno. B. Atkinson this week.

Mr. Geo. Atkinson is in Louisville

on business and attending the meeting of the Grand Masonic Lodge.

Miss Shelby Wise, of Evansville, Ind., is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Mr. Thurman Rudd, of this city, was in Madisonville Tuesday night to see "The Girl and the Bandit."

Mrs. Jno. X. Taylor was in Madisonville Monday shopping.

Mrs. Harry Corey, of this city, was in Madisonville Monday shopping.

Miss Anna Rice of this city, spent Sunday with home folks in Madisonville.

Miss Dona Wood and Mrs. Fugate were in Madisonville Tuesday shopping.

Mrs. Earnest Newton and Miss Wardna Stokes were in Madisonville Wednesday shopping.

Miss Janie and Miss Elizabeth Viscory were in Madisonville Wednesday shopping.

Cures Chills and Fever.

(S. W. Wirt, Nacogdoches, Texas, says: "His daughter had chills and fever for three years; he could not find anything that would help her till he used Herbine. His wife will not keep house without it, and cannot say too much for it." — MRS. E. Seld by St. Bernard Drug Store.

#### Notice.

If you want any nice potato onion sets for planting you will find them at S. E. McEuen's Wall street.

### Why Refer to Doctors

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THE BEE has strong assurances that justify the belief that the facilities for travel between Madisonville and Nortonville will, in a very short while, be sufficiently improved to meet all demands. In all probability, too, the service will be extended to Hopkinsville, and thus span an open gap in an otherwise excellent passenger service.

While it is not possible to state just what the policy of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad is in detail, THE BEE can say with confidence that additional trains will be put on by this railroad in a very short while to afford better traveling facilities between Madisonville and Hopkinsville and give the hustling population of the smaller mining towns of South Hopkins better opportunities to come to Earlington or to the county seat. This is in line with the movement now being made by the management of that railroad to perfect its passenger service over the entire system and correct such faults as now exist along that part of the line mentioned above. It is expected that relief will be immediate.

It will take a longer time, of course, for the building of a traction line, but it looks like that is coming soon, also, and with frequent trains and periodical trolley cars the people will have to work less in order to ride more. But the necessary facilities for more frequent travel are surely coming.

Madisonville has passed an ordinance giving Mr. W. C. Morton the right to construct a trolley line through the streets of city. Morton's Gap has also enacted an ordinance favoring a traction line. Earlington has not yet taken action, but the attorneys for the city are now constructing an ordinance.

President Morton has the profiles of the line as proposed by the Madisonville Traction Co. and is pushing that company's interests.

### Musical Event of Season Coming.

Even with a dozen well known managers bidding for her services, Manager Y. C. Alley has secured Miss Julie Foreman to star in "Cinderella" this season, and has surrounded her with the best of assistants. The cleverest of stars, four well known comedians, three comedienne, four dramatists of note and a chorus of eight pretty girls in uniform stature, the company is to tour a list of eighty of the leading cities. It has been said by critics that no more appropriate selection of a cast could be made for the correct presentation of "Cinderella" for that beautiful comedy-drama as it is moulded into musical comedy needs twenty-one of just such people as Mr. Alley has selected for it. This is the first season of the company which explains why every costume, every piece of scenery and every article of stage effects are entirely new. Miss Foreman wears several gowns bordering on the gorgeous and extravagance in costume has helped to make her reputation. Miss Vivian Forrest also wears some beautiful costumes and Miss Mable Merdith, the leading soprano, vies with her two leaders for beauty and dress. The costume worn by Miss Foreman when she meets the Prince in the grand ballroom is said to be one of the prettiest ever seen on the stage. The Prince and his staff are also elaborately garbed. This play will be seen at Temple Theatre Oct. 27.

### Bader-Beall.

The wedding of Miss Florence Mabel Beall and Harry H. Bader, took place Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Clement Beall, 1211 Laurel street, Nashville; Father P. J. Gleason officiating.

The bride, who is a sister of Mrs. N. W. Unstead and granddaughter of Mrs. S. A. Cordier, has visited here often and has many friends and admirers who extend their congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy life.

### "Parafal."

The necessity of fitting the scenic embellishments of a production of "Parafal" to the limitations of stages much smaller than that of the Metropolitan Opera House, New York, where Herr Conrad first produced it in the United States, seemed for a time to render a tour of the country impossible. When Messrs. Martin & Emery contracted for Parafal they consulted with the builders of the original production who gave them the benefit of their experience to the smallest detail. As a result, it is only in the matter of more bigness that Martin & Emery's mounting of the play is in the slightest degree inferior to the original. In beauty of coloring, in excellence of perspective, in harmonious use of lights, in panoramic mechanism, and in its illusions of magic and mystery it is worthy to be compared with the achievements of the Conried forces.

The sacred forest is pictured in subdued radiance, and when it given way to the rocky fastness leading to the Castle of the Grail a very fine illusion of space and mystery is attained. The interior of the temple is practically identical with the treatment of the same scene in New York and when it is said that it fulfills every demand made by the author's text and stage directions the highest praise is given it. The pageantry and the cities which cramp against this glorious background are wrought out in a spirit of reverence that is absolutely unimpeachable.

"Parafal" will be seen at the Morton Theatre on Oct. 24. Prices \$1.50, \$1.00, 75c, 50c. Boxes, \$5.00.

### Cures Winter Cough.

J. E. Gover, 101 N. Main St., Ottawa, Kans., writes, "Every fall it has been my wife's trouble to catch a severe cold, and therefore to cough all winter long. Last fall I got her a bottle of Horehound Syrup. She used it and has been able to sleep soundly all night long. Whenever the cough troubled her two or three doses stops the cough, and she is able to be up and well." 25c, 50c and \$1.00.

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## MINING NOTES.

The Southern Railroad has been given permission by the railroad commission of the State of Indiana to reduce the rates now being charged by that company on coal entering the markets of New Albany and Evansville, Ind. The concession has made in order that the railroads and coal mines of Indiana may compete with coal from the Kentucky coal fields as the cost of the production of coal in the Indiana field is higher than in Kentucky.

Mayking, Ky., Oct. 16.—The Northern Coal and Coke Company, owning the cream of the Elkhorn coal field, closed a deal on the old Doc Mason farm, on Camp Branch creek of Rockhouse ford, in a rich coal territory, for \$40 per acre. The property lies along the route of the proposed extension of the Lexington and Eastern railroad. There are a number of fine coal openings on the land. Five years ago this property sold for \$2 per acre.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Oct. 16.—George W. Bramblett, of Nicholas county, has just closed a deal by which he sold 12,000 acres of land on Clover Fork, Harlan county, to Eastern capitalists. The land contains numerous veins of cannel and bituminous coals. The price paid was \$122,000 cash. The new owners will at once begin the development of the properties.

Options on 10,000 acres of coal lands between Wheatcroft and Dyson creek in Union county, have been secured by Messrs. Chas. F. Beeson and Jas. F. Montgomery, of Providence, Tenn. Lands adjoining the property of the West Kentucky Coal Company will be developed soon.

Hazleton, Pa., Oct. 16.—All efforts to adjust the differences between the employees of G. B.

Markle & Co., of Jedd, have failed, and tomorrow morning one of the most stubborn strikes since the big strike of 1902 will be inaugurated, as the entire operations of this firm will be tied up, throwing idle 3000 men and boys.

Henry Harris, of Arnold mine, had the misfortune to be caught between a trip of cars and the rib Monday and had a narrow escape from death. He sustained a broken rib, a fractured collar bone and a discolored shoulder. He will be of duty for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Skeen, of this place, visited relatives at Crofton several days this week.

The miners employed at Baker's mine, near Wheatcroft, Ky., went out on a strike Saturday. There were forty in number and all went out except the engineer and the fireman. The mines are owned by the West Kentucky Coal Company. The miners employed at the Wheatcroft mines are still at work.

Among the awards granted by the Carnegie Hero Fund Commission made public Monday, entitling the participants to recognition under the hero fund provided by Andrew Carnegie several years ago is that of Daniel Davis, a coal miner, aged 29, of Sherodsville, O., who lost his life in the rescue of his brother-in-law, Wm. Monroe. For his heroic deed the commission awarded him a silver medal and \$1,000 to be devoted to the purchase of a home, or to be applied in any manner for the support of herself and two children. On July 11, 1904, Wm. Monroe, having charge of the steam and electric pumps of the Somers Mining Company in the Sherodsville, O., section, was overcome by gas in the Old Slope mine, and Davis, in spite of warnings, attempted a rescue. Monroe was saved, but Davis could not be restored to consciousness when brought to the outside.

Mr. Frank Vester was found dead lying in a ditch near the Mecla switch early Tuesday morning. He had been in the employ of the St. Bernard Mining Co. for several years and at the time of his death was boarding with Mr. Wm. Patton. The coroner's jury decided that he came to his death from some unknown cause.

The Mt. Zion Baptist church closed their meeting Monday night after baptizing 27 persons (Sunday eve. There were also 32 others who joined making 59 additions in all.

The following persons are up and improving: Messdames Radford, Rose, Beatrice Smith, Langford, Wiley, Lena Johnson, Carry Laffoon, Wm. Jones and daughter; Prof. S. E. Driver and Revs. H. Amos and J. E. Bailey.

S. F. Gill and Eddie Laffoon are on the sick list this week.

## COLORED COLUMN

EDITED BY J. H. ROBINSON

The C. M. E. conference will convene Oct. 18th and last until the 22nd. It will be held at Madisonville.

Rev. Jas. Schree, of Pembroke, visited his brother, Mack Hayes Schree, here last week.

Messrs. Doss Sheppard and Ader Jackson made a business trip to Madisonville Thursday.

Mr. Andrew Brown has been suffering very much with his eyes this week. The trouble was caused by a piece of coal.

Messdames Childers and Harden were in Madisonville Saturday. Mrs. Childers was the guest of Mrs. Childers while there.

Mrs. J. B. Hawkins has returned from an extended visit to Danville, Ill.

Prof. W. D. Jennings and wife of St. Charles, were the guests of Mr. Mrs. Chas. King Saturday and Sunday.

Dr. Tutt, of Crofton, was here on business Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Wilks has returned from Trenton.

Miss Lizzie Osburn and cousin, Miss Hattie Osburn, of California, attended the street fair at Hopkinsville last week.

Miss Josie Pritchett has returned from a trip to Chicago, Ill.

Rev. E. H. Edmondson filled Rev. E. M. Smith's pulpit Sunday.

Mr. Bill Allenworth, of Clarksville, Tenn., is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Ida Campbell has returned from Evansville, Ind.

Mrs. Will Prentice is visiting in Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Anderson went to Nashville.

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DEAR JIMMIE—As I promised to write to you as soon as I reached here, I must ask pardon for my neglect in not doing so, but I have been having such a huge time that I had not had a moment's time to spare until now. Have not even written a line to Jimmie, and you know I must be quite busy when I neglect such a pleasant pastime as that. Tell him not to worry for I have not forgotten him and he will get a LONG, LONG letter soon.

I cannot begin to tell you one half the news and for fear I might forget part I will wait until I get home and tell you all. Oh, my, it is cold up here and you have no idea how glad I am I bought my cloak and furs before I started. You know I thought I would wait until I came up here to buy them but I am so glad I did not as I saved at least \$5.00 by buying them from J. M. Victory. You know I bought one of those Empire coats he is selling for \$15.00 and I priced the same coat here and they wanted \$20.00. I had no idea Mr. Victory had such excellent taste, but I find the identical styles he showed me, and being shown by all the leading cloak houses here, and you know when you and I were pricing his coats, well the ones he asked only \$10.00 for they want \$15.00, and one like his \$12.50 they want \$18.00. Guess I must cut this short as I must dress for the party tonight. I have a swell bean to take me, but don't tell Jimmie. Your Devoted Sister.

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## Around the Farm

### Cultivating Celery.

If nothing but clay soil is available, it may be made to produce good celery by the liberal application of well-rotted barnyard manures. On clay soils there is liable to be injury caused by the soil becoming washed into the hearts of the plants while they are yet small.

The first and most important consideration when preparing to grow a crop of celery is the securing of good seed, not merely seed of which a large percentage will germinate, but that having strength and vigor sufficient to give the seedling a good start. The greatest growth of celery is made in September and October. Where celery is grown for market, even on a small scale, attention should be given to the rotation of crops. Since nitrogen forms the principal plant food for celery, the soil will soon become deficient in this element unless means be pro-

vided for restoring the proper amount. This may be accomplished either by the application of large quantities of fertilizers or manures that contain a high percentage of nitrates, or better by planting the land for one or more years to some leguminous crop, such as clover, cowpeas, beans.

### The Live Stock.

Whatever you may feed your horse feed judiciously and regularly. Use system.

While it is always an item to feed well, young pigs may easily be stunted by overfeeding.

Keep breeding sows by themselves and feed them according to the demands of their condition.

Hogs furnish one of the best mediums for marketing the bulky products of the farm in a concentrated shape.

When stabled for the noon feed, it is comforting and cooling to the

tired, sweating horse to be relieved of all harness.

It is the hogs that make the best growth in the shortest time and upon the smallest amount of food that returns the best profit.

A tablespoonful of copper sulphate dissolved in hot water and given with a gallon of milk to the brood sow will stop scours in little pigs. Owners of waste, brushy land would find a flock of Angoras goats a very valuable acquisition. They are money makers as well as land cleaners.

In selecting a young animal for breeding purposes one with a gentle and tractable disposition should be chosen as nearly as can be judged.

### The Range for Hogs.

While most swine raisers believe in the range for hogs, they are inclined towards some of the worn crops, such as rape and oats, rather than to the regulation grass pasture of mixed growth. There is no doubt but that rape and oats, or rape alone, makes a good pasture for swine, if they are not turned on it too soon. A good general plan is to wait until the rape is, say, eight or nine inches high before the swine are turned in.

### Feeding the Cow.

Just how much grain a cow in full flow should have can only be determined by experiment, but eight pounds is about the quantity the best dairymen, both East and West, are giving daily, varying according to the thrift of the cow and amount of milk.

A satisfactory flow cannot be maintained on grass alone. Regular rations of grain will increase the yield sufficiently to pay good profit.

### Fattening Stock for Market.

It seldom pays to send stock to market half fatted. We know of lambs that have been chased around straw stacks and then shipped to market, only to teach their owner a lesson that he should have learned before he shipped them. The shrinkage in lambs is greater than in any other kind of stock and a long trip to market means a real loss. It never pays to half fat anything.

### Silage in Winter Feeding.

When it is said by the authority of long experience of an old silage cattle feeder, that corn silage in the winter feeding is equal to bluestem pasture in summer it ought to attract the attention of every cattle feeder who can grow corn. Cattle need in part a succulent ration in the

winter just as bluestem affords it in summer, and silage furnishes it.

To make the winter dairy profitable, you must begin by filling a good big silo.

It is poor farming to sell the best hay and leave your own stock only the refuse.

### Grow Demons for Sheep.

It is interesting to note how greatly the number of sheep in the United States has decreased. Thirty-five years ago the number of sheep was just about equal to our population. The census returns of 1880 show that there were only half as many sheep as our population. In some other

countries of Europe and Asia the increase has been 50 to 60 percent, during the same time, though in recent years the number was greatly reduced by droughts and other causes. Just now there is a strong tendency to increase the holdings of the sheep. This has been greatly stimulated by higher prices of both sheep and wool and the rapid increase in the consumption of mutton. The latter is likely to grow steadily as it has given new impulse to sheep growing.

### How to Work Butter.

Much of the butter for which the makers think they should receive the top prices has the grain almost entirely worked out of it, and there-

fore is not a first class article. Butter should be worked just sufficient to incorporate the salt, and that lightly and daintily, without mashing or smearing.

### Utilizing Old Screens.

Old screen wire that has passed the useful stage as its protection comes handy when making small individual coops. It can often be made to do two years' service in keeping out rats and other vermin in chicken coops.

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